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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of
Masaya Tamaru

Serial No.: 10/820,032

Group Art Unit: 2625

Filed: April 8, 2004

Examiner: Worku, Negussie

**For: IMAGE REPRODUCING APPARATUS FOR PREVENTING WHITE BALANCE
OFFSET AND SOLID-STATE IMAGING APPARATUS**

Honorable Commissioner of Patents
Alexandria, VA 22313 – 1450

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.111

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated July 20, 2009, please reconsider the above-identified application as follows:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

Claims 2, 4, 6-8, 10-16, and 18-23 are all the claims presently pending in the application. Claims begin on page 2 of this paper. No new matter is added.

Remarks begin at page 8 of this paper.